

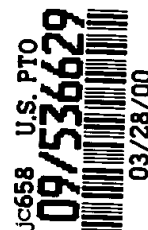
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the above-referenced continuation application, which is concurrently being filed herewith. Accordingly, Applicants does not believe that a fee is due for filing this paper.

The listed documents were previously cited in the instant application's copending parent Application No. 08/934,770, filed on September 22, 1997. Thus, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the listed documents are not required to be provided. Applicants do submit a copy of Japanese Application No. 9-105918 (with English translation of abstract and claims)

concurrently herewith because only claims, abstract, and a figure of this reference were previously cited by the Examiner in the prior parent Application No. 08/934,770

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration of relevant portions thereof by making appropriate notations on the attached PTO 1449 form.

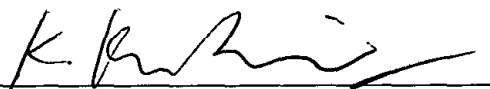
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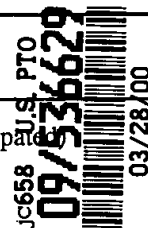
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**OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)**

	M. Ohta, et al., <i>S30-2 Development of Super-TFT-LCDs with In-Plane Switching Display Mode</i> , Asia Display 95, page 707, 1995.
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